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**REQUEST FOR PETITION FOR ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME**

Sir:

Applicants respectfully petition the Assistant Commissioner for Patents for a one-month extension of time up to and including **October 24, 2005**, to respond to the Office Action mailed **June 22, 2005** by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office. Please charge **\$120.00** to Deposit Account No. **50-0206** for the one-month extension of time fee due.

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